

CITY OF TEMPE GENERAL NOTES
FOR UTILITY CONSTRUCTION

1. The contractor shall have a copy of the approved construction plans and approved traffic control plan at the project site at all times.
2. All utilities crossing existing City streets must be bored or punched, unless permission to open cut has been given in writing by the City Engineer or his authorized representative. Before starting any street bore that crosses a major roadway, the contractor must schedule a separate field meeting with the project inspector to verify that all Bluestake™ and design requirements are met.
3. Utility companies are required to coordinate alley work with the Refuse Section at (480) 350-8265.
4. The utility company shall call the Engineering Division a minimum of 24 hours in advance of starting work giving location and permit number in order to schedule inspections. Status updates shall be made weekly.
5. Alignment on plans may not deviate more than 1' without getting the approval of the City of Tempe.
6. All work requiring asphalt replacement, concrete replacement, or resurfacing alleys in City right of way will require a final inspection with the utility company representative at time of completion.
7. All work performed in City of Tempe's right of way shall be governed by the latest City of Tempe Traffic Control and Barricade Manual.
8. All alley and street excavations shall be compacted to a minimum of 95% of standard proctor density, or one-sack slurry backfilled; all alleys are to be surfaced with a minimum of 6" of ABC and repaved where paving exists. All street repairs shall be presumed to require specification of [Detail T-450](#). The approved plan alley grade shall not be changed by more than one tenth of a foot in a crowned alley. Inverted alleys shall be graded to match the original plan grade and original construction. Paved streets and alleys shall be repaved in a manner that matches the grade of undisturbed pavement before construction.
9. Abandoned facilities shall be removed.
10. Protective devices are required!

Section 29-4 of the "CODE OF THE CITY OF TEMPE, ARIZONA" requires that anyone working within the right-of-way be equipped with *protective devices*. These protective devices include, orange vest (daytime), reflectorized orange vest (nighttime), traffic cones, barricades, flashing lights, flares, and any other traffic control device as required by the City.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and punishable as set forth in Section 1-7 of this code.

Sec. 1-7 (a) states that a misdemeanor is punishable by a fine not exceeding two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00) plus applicable surcharges, imprisonment, etc.; for a term not exceeding six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.